WHEREAS, on May 1, 2025, the Court issued Pretrial Order No. 26: Bellwether Trial Wave 1 Case Assignments and Discovery Schedule;

WHEREAS, Pretrial Order No. 26, which required the parties to exchange expert reports by August 8, 2025 and rebuttal expert reports by September 8, 2025, was modified by Stipulation and Court Order to require the parties to submit expert reports by August 22, 2025, and rebuttal expert reports by September 22, 2025 [ECF 3533];

WHEREAS, Pretrial Order No. 26 was further modified by Stipulation and Court Order to require the parties to submit expert reports by August 29 and rebuttal expert reports by September 29 [ECF 3705];

WHEREAS, at the August 22, 2025 Case Management Conference, the Court informed the parties that the first bellwether trial will begin on January 7, 2026, rather than December 8, 2025 [ECF 3725];

WHEREAS, the parties are still working to complete outstanding fact discovery, including 30(b)(6) depositions scheduled for the last week of August and into September;

WHEREAS, given the need to complete outstanding discovery and the additional time made available by the new trial date, the parties agree that expert discovery deadlines for the five Wave 1 cases that have substantially completed fact discovery should be modified as follows:

- Expert Reports: September 12, 2025¹
- Rebuttal Reports: October 13, 2025

WHEREAS, Plaintiffs filed an administration motion seeking an extension to the expert reports on August 25, 2025 and hereby withdraw that motion [ECF 3747];

WHEREAS, the parties will promptly meet and confer and propose adjustments to the schedule for *Daubert* and dispositive motion briefing, as well as a schedule for expert discovery and briefing in WHB 318, with the goal of ensuring that WHB 318 is integrated into the proposed adjustments such that all Wave 1 cases will be briefed to the extent possible on the same schedule to minimize burdens on the parties and the Court;

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This includes the mental examination report of Dr. Reminick in WHB 823 to be produced on August 28, 2025, which will now be produced consistent with the schedule set out here.

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